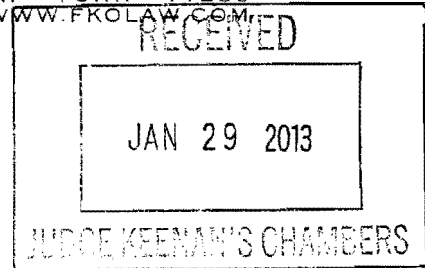


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January 29, 2013

Honorable John F. Keenan  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
United States Courthouse  
500 Pearl Street  
New York, NY 10007



Re: *United States v. Alejandro Bello*, 11 Cr. 755 (JFK)

Dear Judge Keenan,

I am the CJA attorney appointed to represent Alejandro Bello in the above-captioned matter. Please accept this letter as a request for an extension of time in which to file motions in this case.

As this Court is likely aware, I have been struggling with a number of medical problems over the past year, culminating in two cardiac surgeries which I underwent this month, and from which I am now recovering. In the midst of my illness, I missed the deadline set by this Court for defense motions. I therefore respectfully request a month extension in which to file motions, if any, in this case.

Thank you for your kind consideration of this request.

Respectfully yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Elizabeth M. Fink".

ELIZABETH M. FINK

Application granted. The deadline for motions on behalf of Defendant Alejandro Bello is extended to February 25, 2013. SO ORDERED.

Dated: New York, N.Y.  
January 30, 2013

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John F. Keenan".  
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U.S.D.J.